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Subject: Water Year 2015 Administration of Central Utah Project, Bonneville Unit, Utah Lake / Provo River Storage Exchanges under CUP Water Right Nos. A40523, A36639, A37093, E398, E4319 and Central Utah Water Conservancy District Water Right Nos. E3100 and E3101

Dear Teresa:

Currently the elevation of Utah Lake is 4485.67 feet, or 3.38 feet below the compromise elevation. Utah Lake is below the Utah Lake Distribution Plan conversion line and will not cross the line allowing conversion of system storage held in upstream reservoirs to priority storage if dry conditions continue. CUWCD therefore is making the following request under the Utah Lake Distribution Plan for administration of the above referenced CUP and CUWCD water rights.

We will delay until further notice making a request to use CUP import water in Utah Lake to exchange CUP system storage to CUP priority storage using our Strawberry Reservoir import direct flows and return flows. Those waters are to remain in Utah Lake in space available storage (for amounts available, please reference our Utah Lake accounting letter to you dated October 30, 2014. Should we need to request exchange of our import water, we will send you an updated accounting letter prior to our normal deadline of November 1st of each year.

We request a direct exchange of water under E3100, E3101, and E4319 to exchange CUP system storage to CUP priority storage consistent with those exchange applications. CUP water is stored in Jordanelle and Deer Creek reservoirs under water right A40523. The District requests that water right exchange applications E4319, E3100, and E3101 be used to exchange CUP system storage to CUP priority storage. For your reference, the amount of water identified under the applications referenced above is:

E4319	7,900 acre-feet of Utah Lake primary water
E3100	57,073 acre-feet of Utah Lake secondary water
E3101	16,862.4 acre-feet of Utah Lake primary water

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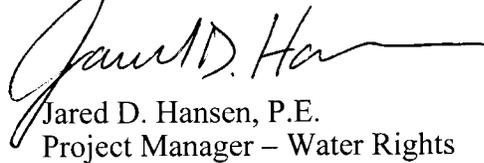
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We understand that administration of E4319, E3100, and E3101 is subordinate to all existing rights as identified in the amended memorandum decisions. This exchange would not benefit the PRWUA for the Provo River Project.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,



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